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## **COUNCIL PRESIDENT SCOTT PETERS**

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### **Council President Calls Special Meeting to Discuss Reforms**

SAN DIEGO -- Council President Scott Peters has called a special meeting of the San Diego City Council for Wednesday, September 6 at 2:00pm, to discuss Mayor Jerry Sanders' recommendations for reform. The recommendations are drawn from the City's Audit Committee report, delivered to the City Council on August 8.

"Reform is necessary, and this issue is too important to wait any longer," Peters said. "This Council is eager to begin our work of putting the City back on the road to fiscal recovery."

This is the second special City Council meeting called this year to consider the work of the Audit Committee. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chambers on the 12<sup>th</sup> floor of the City Administration Building, 202 C Street in Downtown San Diego.

Peters expressed support for the mayor's recommendations and a hope that they would be quickly implemented.

"I know that the mayor and his staff have worked very hard to develop a comprehensive and long-range plan to establish new financial controls and send a positive message to the credit rating agencies. I look forward to working with my fellow elected officials and the taxpayers to return our City to a sound financial footing."

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